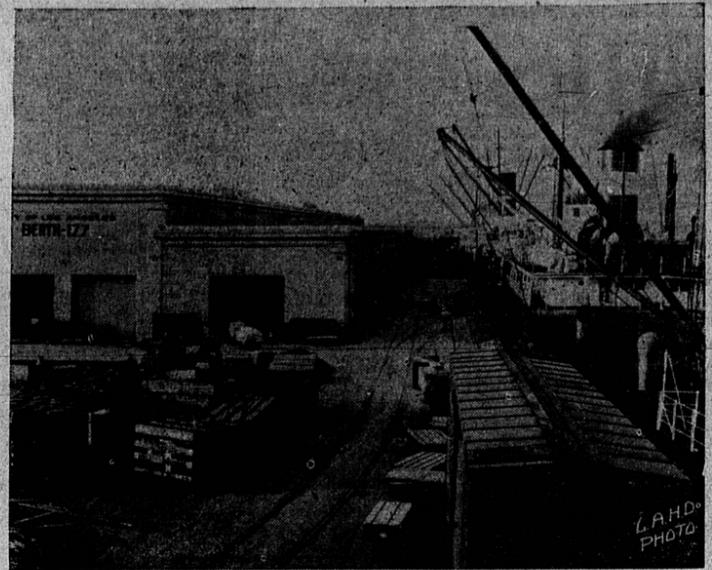


Mrs. L. Nohrnberg Passes Away Monday

Mrs. Lillian Nohrnberg, age 57, who had been a resident of Torrance for the past 11 years, passed away at her home, 2255 Torrance boulevard, Monday, November 26. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Stone & Myers chapel, with interment at Angelus Abbey, Compton. Mrs. Nohrnberg is survived by her daughter, Mrs. May Hird Farrar, and her mother, Mrs. Susan Uhlenhoff, of Los Angeles. Her husband, Frank Nohrnberg, passed away suddenly about two years ago.

Business Is Booming At McCormick Berth



The above view shows an ordinary day at docks of the McCormick Steamship Company, Los Angeles harbor, where congestion of cargo has become so acute that the harbor department has announced plans to expend \$55,000 to enlarge the McCormick berth.

Congestion of docks at Los Angeles harbor, due to heavy increases in commerce, will result in early construction of a \$55,000 extension of the berthing facilities occupied by McCormick Steamship Company, at Berths 177-179, harbor department officials announced.

Bids for building the new berth will be opened December 12 at the Los Angeles city hall. It is expected the addition will be completed soon after the first of the year.

"Business of this company has increased so rapidly that it is absolutely imperative that we do something to relieve the congested condition at their docks," declared E. J. Amar, president of the harbor board. "In spite of the depression, McCormick went out into all parts of the world for commerce. The result has been an ever increasing tonnage passing over their docks, until today they lack room in which to handle their cargo. Naturally, the harbor department will benefit from the new construction in increased revenue."

Mr. Amar then added, "McCormick is not the only shipper at the harbor showing increased tonnage. Many other berths today are operating at capacity limits, and the data is not far distant when, even with the gigantic terminal facilities we possess, we shall be faced with a problem of relieving congestion on many other docks. Added to this is the problem of finding berthing facilities for at least half-dozen additional shipping lines which plan regular services to this port at an early date."

The extension to the McCormick

Keeping Up With Torrance High

By RUTH GRANGER

Many of the senior A girls have been active in sports during their high school careers. Four girls, Myrtle Gregg, Jeannette Mickelson and Lorraine Roelofs, are members of the G. A. A., and Lorraine Roelofs has 825 G. A. A. points. Other girls with points are Myrtle Gregg, 725; Virginia Mickelson, 625; Jeannette Mickelson, 625, and Mary Peckham, 275.

A new club, similar to the Scholarship Society is being organized in the junior high. Any student with three or more A's on his report card is eligible for the "Honor Club" and is entitled to attend the meetings. The first meeting was held Thursday, November 22, and a temporary chairman and secretary were elected. Georgina Tiffany is the chairman and Coral Lindeman the secretary. A committee for drawing up a constitution which will be voted on at the next meeting was also appointed. The sponsor of this club is Miss Sommers. At present there are 36 members, including Barbara Hall, Peggy Olson, Thelma Hogberg, Suyoko Hama, Bernadette Brown, Christina Lewis, Coral Lindeman, Myrtle Sharpe, Roland Boyd, Norma Seematter, Virginia Crandall, Marjorie Page, Marian Spehger, Georgina Tiffany, Ruth Norman, Lorena Long, Elsa Norman, Pearl Lovelady, Muriel Alverson, Donna Baker, Irene Hicks, Ruth Norman, Norine Schroeder, Masako Yoshida, Eileen Howe, Claire Covington, Dario Chavez, Pauline Austin, Beatrice Mckear, Lois Jane Allan, Arlys Possum, Betty Hatton and Virginia Traller.

About 25 members of the World Friendship Club attended the district meeting at Gardena high, November 26. Dr. Bailey, of Los Angeles, was the speaker and along with her most interesting talk on Mexico, she presented many beautiful and amusing moving pictures. Before Mrs. Bailey's talk, a district business meeting was held with Lucian Sandahar, of Gardena, presiding. The schools included in the district are Washington, Banning, San Pedro, Gardena and Torrance.

The Torrance Forensic Forum, one of the newer school organizations, has decided to take up debating and serve the school in that capacity. Mrs. Allen, the sponsor and a new teacher, was of great assistance as she has coached debating teams before. It is probable that Redondo high school will be the first school that Torrance will challenge in a debate.

This semester the faculty board made a new rule which forbids any student who had fewer than 35 credits last semester to have his name in print or to hold any school office. Anyone who was elected to an office last year, resigned his position if he had less than 35 credits. This, of course, is an inducement to have students keep up their citizenship record and is also a system of putting the best students in office.

The Annual Torch staff was recently completed by Miss Burnham and a few other members of the faculty. It is as follows: Editor, Ruth Granger; assistant editor, Margaret Condon; advertising manager, Betty Stevenson and Ell Levy; organization editor, Edith M. Hester; activity editors, Jayne Traller and Wanda Mullen; faculty editor, George Mulra; girls' athletic editor, Jeannette Mickelson; boys' athletic editor, Roger McGinnis and Ray Stedell; snapshots Frances Vasyuras; classes, Paul Ruspapar and Guy Bartells; and art editor, Wilma Whitney. The editor and assistant editor selected after a tryout which consisted of writing an editorial on "High Lights of the Torrance Narbonne Games." The English department then decided on who should have the positions. The theme for the Annual has not been decided upon, nor has anything else been definitely established as yet.

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Jones Resigns As Vice President of Kiwanis Club

W. E. Shawger Unanimously Elected to Fill the Vacancy

Resignation of Floyd Jones as vice president of the Kiwanis Club was accepted with regret at the last meeting of this group held Monday evening, November 26. W. E. (Bill) Shawger was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. The officers and board of directors met Wednesday evening of last week and re-elected Howard G. Locke, secretary. Locke had filled the office for the preceding year to the satisfaction of all and was chosen to succeed himself.

Chairmen of committees were appointed, J. W. Leech and L. J. Gilmeister as co-chairmen of the program committee. Others are Henry Grubb, Kiwanis education and inter-club; R. J. Delinger and Chas. Schulte, membership; Earl Conner, public affairs; Robert Lowellen, publicity; Floyd Jones and Ray Begue, sports; William Taylor and Mack Johnson, reception and house; Robert Lewellen, Howard G. Locke and E. J. Grubb, underprivileged children; Joe Klink, business standards; J. W. Leech, song leader; Morris Koch, sergeant-at-arms.

Floy Thornton Barkmen, D. D. of Compton, will be the speaker for next Monday's meeting. His topic will be, "Ships That Come In."

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Ten Narbonne students are trying out for the school finals of the oratorical contest sponsored by the Herald-Express on the general topic, "A Code of Living for the Next Generation." The school finals are to be held December 4, while the contest finals are scheduled for December 7 in Boyard auditorium at U. S. C.

Midget Racing Is Not Over Yet At Motospeedway

Several Thrilling Carnivals Billed For Short Track Near Compton

The sensational night speedway sport of midget automobile racing is not yet over at Motospeedway, the popular English flat "fifth" on Long Beach boulevard.

Several more of the thrilling short track speed carnivals are billed, including next Friday night, November 30.

"Closing of the Los Angeles season at Gilmore stadium has no effect upon Motospeedway races," said Dominic Distarco, president of the California midget racing car association, yesterday.

The program this week includes all the favorites of the night speedways topped by Bob Swanson and Shorty Scovell, the "mighty midget" pair. Scovell, who replaced Curly Mills in the original mighty midget, beat Swanson in last Friday night's trophy sprint of two laps, and for this beating Swanson swears all kinds of revenge.

Scovell, on the other hand, is eager to win a main event of 30 laps, something he hasn't done in seven months at the Long Beach boulevard speed platter.

MEXICAN ARRAIGNED FOR RECKLESS DRIVING  
Ralph Duarte, Pueblo, was fined \$25 or 12 1/2 days on a reckless driving charge in the city police court this week. Duarte is said to have struck a parked car belonging to Fred Sturm, 2451 West 255th street, smashing a fender and causing a tire to blow out. The sentence was suspended on condition that Duarte settle for damages.

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